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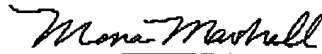
**Re:**      Applicant(s):    Eduard K. de Jong  
                 Assignee:        Sun Microsystems, Inc.  
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Dear Sir:

Applicant has not received a response to the amendment filed September 30, 2004 and also to the status inquiry filed March 10, 2005 in the above-identified application. When can we expect a response to our amendment?

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